SUBJECT No. 156.

Conscience clause for all aided schools and colleges in the State.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao, Chikmagalur Taluk, and Mr. M. K. Krishnamurti Rao, Magadi Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—It is prayed that early orders may be passed on this question.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 157.

Teaching in Mission Schools.

Mr. N. Venkataramaiya, Hassan District Board.

Summary of discussion.—Boys and girls resort to Mission Schools in large numbers. Arrangements may be made not to teach therein text-books opposed to Hindu religion and not to compel attendance at Bible classes; or else the Government may establish in such places schools for Hindus.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT No. 158.

Text-books in Grant-in-aid Mission Schools.

Mr. Srinivasa Dikshit, Shikarpur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Grant-in-aid Mission Girls' Schools may be ordered to use as text-books those that are being used in Government Girls' Schools. Otherwise the religious ideas instilled at home are spoiled by the instruction imparted at those institutions. It is also requested that the Deputy Inspectors may be ordered to hold periodical examinations with a view to determine the continuance or otherwise of the grant-in-aid to those schools.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 159.

English and Hindustani knowing teachers for Anglo-Vernacular Schools.

Mr. Rasool Khan, Anjuman-i-Islamia, Chikmagalur.

Summary of discussion.—Prays for the appointment of teachers knowing both English and Hindustani in Anglo-Vernacular Schools.

Reply of Government.—This will be done as far as possible.

SUBJECT No. 160.

English teachers for Urdu-Vernacular Schools at District and Taluk Headquarters.

Mr. C. Rasool Khan Saib, Anjuman-i-Islamia, Chikmagalur and Mr. G. Abdul Khalik, Chikmagalur Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that every Urdu-Vernacular School at district and taluk headquarters may be provided with one assistant English teacher to teach English up to the third class, whence the students can be admitted either to the Anglo-Kannada Schools or to the High Schools. To make this feasible it is further requested that English may be introduced in the Normal Schools at Mysore, Shimoga and Kolar in place of either Agriculture or Persian.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 161.

Students to be sent to Europe and America for training in technical subjects.

Mr. C. Vasudeva Rao, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—(1) Students may be sent to Europe to be trained in Botanical Gardens and to learn Agricultural Chemistry.

(2) One or two students may be sent to America to learn scientific and practical agriculture.

Reply of Government.—Noted.